(b) out of the existing Gomal the extent of land taken over by the Forest Department;

(c) the number of cattle in that village;

(d) whether they are aware that a number of representations have been made to Government with regard to the insufficient Gomal land in the said village for the cattle;

(e) whether they would take action to release the Gomal Land taken over by the Forest Department ?

A.—Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

(a) 288 acres 15 Guntas.

(b) 200 acres.

(c) 850.

(d) Only one application. It is also reported that some ryots have moved. The Mysore Revenue Appellate Tribunal challenging the transfer of 200 acres to the Forest Department.

(e) In view of reply to (d), the decision of the Mysore Revenue Appellate Tribunal will be awaited.

Sanctioning of Irrigation wells.

*Q.—339. Sri G. T. RANGAPPA (Hosadurga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of applications received for irrigation wells in Hosadurga Taluk during 1964-65 and 1965-66;

(b) number of wells sanctioned ?

A.—Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA (Minister for Revenue.)—

(a)	1964-65	28
	1965-66	87
(b)	1964-65	21
	1965-66	7

Winding up of Narayanapura P.W. Division.

*Q.—405. Sri MAHANTHASWAMY (Shahapur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the reasons for the winding up of Narayanapura Public Works Division;

(b) the place to which the staff working in this Division have been posted;

(c) the amount spent on the building constructed in the Division;

(d) how these buildings are going to be used ?

A.—Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister for Public Works).—

(*a*) On account of change of dam site from Narayanapur to Siddapur and in order to create an independent Division for the construction of the distributaries under T.B.P. High Level Canal of priority basis.

(*b*) Almatti, Munirabad, Bellary, Yermarus, Sindhanur, Davanagere, Manoli, etc., in the Irrigation Projects Zone.

(*c*) Rs, 7,56,883.

(*d*) It is proposed to shift one of the Division under upper Krishna Project Circle to Narayanapur in order to utilise the buildings available there.

CALLING ATTENTION TO A MATTER OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE.

re: **Fast by the students of the Maharaja's High School, Mysore**

Sri K. S. SURYANARAYANA RAO (Mysore City).—Sir, I wish to call the attention of the Minister for Education to the incident that took place in the Maharaja's High School, Mysore, resultant from the orders of the Government asking them to leave the School as they have failed in one or two subjects.

†Sri S. R. KANTHI (Minister for Education).—In Government Order No. ED 38 SEI 64 dated 11th June 1964, Government issued certain instructions with a view to check the indiscipline among students. One of them is :—

> "If the student fails in more than three subjects he loses freeship and scholarship for the second term. This may however be restored if the student passes in subject—subjects in the subsequent test. In respect of those who do not enjoy in either freeship or scholarship, they may be warned that if they do not show adequate progress in the tests of the two terms they may have to be issued with transfer certificate as last resort."

The Head Master of the concerned High School has implemented the above order in the interest of discipline and the academic progress of the students. The students have restored to strike against that order. Government feel that the said order will have to be enforced in spite of the strike with the sole intention of putting down the indiscipline among the students. All High Schools in the State have implemented the Government Order dated 11th June 1964 in respect of failures and recovered the fees.

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†Indicates that the remarks or speeches have not been revised by the member concerned